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27 4-H Clubs Organize for Coming Year

In Oxford County, the 4-H clubs have gotten off to a good start. Twenty-seven clubs have organized for the 1952-1953 year. The 4-H clubs, leaders, and assistants are as follows: Andover Mountaineers, leader—Mrs Betty Venable, assistant leader—Mrs Violet Fraser; East Bethel Early Risers, leader—Mrs Gladys Tyler; East Bethel Lucky Clover, leader—Mrs Margaret O Bartlett, assistant leader—Miss Shirley Bartlett; East Bethel Snappy Eight, leader—Mrs Louise Coudge, assistant leader—Miss Myra Foster; Buckfield Bees, leader—Mrs Robert Redman, assistant leader—Mrs Kathleen Casey; Buckfield Busybodies, leader—Carland Bell; Canton Point Busy Workers, leader—Mr and Mrs J C Conant, assistant leaders—Mr and Mrs Lyndon Hayford; East Conway Mountain View, leader—Mrs Sherman Charles; East Conway Happy Huskers, leader—Mrs Jane Schrader; Newry, leader—Mrs Willis Brooke; Newry, leader—Mrs Harold Brooke, Jr.; Norway Helping 4-H, leader, Mr and Mrs Melvin D Allen; Norway Hilltop Huskers, leader, Mrs Gertrude French, assistant leader, Mrs Esther Frost; Norway Crockett Ridge Boys, leader, Mrs Lillian Thurston, assistant leader, Ben Conant; Norway Center Chickadees, leader, Mrs Edith Brown, assistant leader, Mrs John Bachelder; Norway Center Whizzers, leader, Mrs Lena Mae Thorton, assistant leader, Mrs Merline Thurston; East Oxford Hillbillies, leader, Mrs Esther Jackson; Paris Hill Hilltop, leader, Mrs Evelyn Niskanen; South Paris Elm Hill Huskers, leader, Mrs Vivian Hall, assistant leader, Mrs Grace Yates; South Paris Hungry Hollow Hens, leader, Mrs Rose Robinson, assistant leader, Mrs Mione Record; South Paris Ready Workers, leader, Mrs Irene Haggood, assistant leader, Miss Amy Haggood; South Paris Kendo, leader, Mrs Hazel Newton; South Paris Western Maine Dairy, leader, Harold G Shaw, Jr., assistant leader, Eugene Wilson; South Paris Snap, leader, Mrs Electa Hill; West Paris Future Homemakers, leader, Mrs Harold Perham; Rumford Center Wonder Workers, leader, Miss Evaline Kimball, assistant leader, Mrs Grace Kimball; Waterford Peterville Pluggers, leader, Benny Cyr, assistant leader, Mrs Ada Cyr; Welchville Humming Birds, leader, Mrs Margaret Colby; Woodstock Farmers, leader, Mrs Alice Dudley, assistant leader, Mr and Mrs Norman Mills.

Three clubs are in the process of organizing. The leaders of these clubs will be Mrs Harold Brooke Jr., of North Newry; Mrs Willis Brooke of Newry; Harold G Bennett and John Greenleaf of Bethel, and Mr and Mrs Marlin Thurston of West Peru.

Outstanding leaders such as those listed above, parent cooperation, and interested club members are the three essentials for the good 4-H club work in Oxford County during 1952-1953 club year. The 4-H club motto is significant of what 4-H club members are striving for: "To Make the Best Better."

FIVE-TOWN TEACHERS HOLD CHRISTMAS PARTY

The Five-Town Teachers Club held its Christmas Party Sunday evening, Dec. 7th. There were seventeen members present at a delicious banquet served at Martha's Grille. The business meeting was held at the home of Mrs Doris Lord. The following officers were elected for the ensuing year: Pres. Frances Gunther; Vice-President, Hazel Wiesler; Secretary, Melva Willard; Treasurer, Alice Ballard. A Christmas tree, with an exchange of gifts was much enjoyed, after which popcorn and apples were served.

PARENT-TEACHER ASSN. MEETS NEXT TUESDAY EVE.

The Parent-Teacher Association will meet Tuesday, Dec. 16th, at 8 p. m. at the Crescent Park School.

This will be a work meeting and all members are asked to bring broken toys to be repaired and distributed at Christmas time. Tools for repairing toys should be brought.

Refreshments will be served by the sixth grade mothers, chairman Mrs Francis Noyes.

TAYLORS RECEIVE GIFT AT CUB SCOUT MEETING FRIDAY

Cub Scout Pack, No. 105, met Friday evening at the West Parish Church. Douglas Rice opened the meeting as a "Lion" achievement with everyone giving the pledge of allegiance to the flag. This was followed by singing "God Bless America" and "There Are Dads." George Taylor, Cubmaster, welcomed two boys to the Pack, Don Elmer Parker and Earlard Noyes. Passed Bobcat requirements and were presented registration cards and Bobcat pins. The Cubs then gathered around the "Friendship Fire" and sang the Cub Scout song. The following Cubs were awarded badges and arrow points: Peter Davis, Wolf Badge; Steven Saunders, one gold arrow; Fred Den Roche, Wolf Badge; Edward Tibbels, two silver arrows; James Bartlett, Bear Badge and one gold arrow; David Myers, Lion Badge, one gold and two silver arrows; Kenneth Pease, Lion Badge, one gold and two silver arrows; Mark Bennett, two silver arrows; Kenneth Bennett, two silver arrows; Richard Angevine, one silver arrow; Jerry Freeman, one gold and three silver arrows; Stanley Moore, one gold and four silver arrows; Donald Angevine, Lion Badge; Webelos Badge one gold and one silver arrow; Kent Taylor, Webelos Badge; Charles Epper, Bear Badge; Gary Haggan, Don Chief; Leroy Brown, Kent Taylor and Donald Angevine were presented graduation certificates. These badges are awarded to the Cubs when they have completed qualified requirements which entitle them to membership in the local Boy Scout troop.

Following the presentation of awards, dens presented their individual skills pertaining to the theme of November, "Our Forefathers." George Taylor introduced Patrick Grenier, who is relieving him as Cub Scout Master while the Taylor family is in Florida. Donald Christie, chairman of the Troop Committee, on behalf of the Cubs and Den Mothers, presented a gift to Mr and Mrs Taylor in appreciation of their inspiring work with the Cub Scouts.

BETHEL EVENING EXTENSION GROUP VOTES JOINT MEETING

The Bethel Evening Extension Group served a supper at the Methodist dining room to its new members on Dec. 9. Supper was served to 24 members. Committee reported \$20.88 made at the school fair. It was voted to have a joint meeting on January 16 with men and women of Albany, Newry, Bethel Day and East Bethel groups on Home Gardens. Four UNESCO Gift stamps were purchased. Each member is to give a dish towel to the hot lunch program at the Crescent Park School for our Community project.

IN AND ABOUT BETHEL

Pvt Frank Hunt, Jr., left Monday for Fort Ligonier, Seattle, Wash.

Robert Kirk is a surgical patient at the Veterans' Hospital, Togus.

George Fossett of Portland spent the week end with his cousin, Paul Fossett.

Mrs Murray Thurston is a surgical patient at the Rumford Community Hospital.

Mr and Mrs Fred Ashby of Presque Isle were week end guests of Dr and Mrs R R Tibbels.

Harold Nutting arrived home Saturday after spending several weeks at Los Angeles, Calif.

Mr and Mrs Ralph Moore left Wednesday for Orlando, Fla., where they will spend the winter.

Mr and Mrs Robert Lowe were in Lewiston over the week end visiting Mr and Mrs Robert Perry.

Donald Fraser returned to Togus Hospital Tuesday after spending a short time with his family here.

Harry Lyon has moved from Grover Hill to the home of his daughter, Mrs Clayton Bane, for the winter.

Dr and Mrs Ernest Greenleaf and Howard Greenleaf of Madison were week end guests of Dr and Mrs S S Greenleaf.

Mrs Frank Noyes and Mrs Stuart Martin left Friday for a week's visit in Massachusetts, Pennsylvania and Virginia.

Mr and Mrs Richard Emmons and children of Schenectady, N. Y., were week end visitors of Mr and Mrs E H Browne.

Mr and Mrs Edgar Coudge and children of Quincy, Mass., were week end guests of his parents, Mr and Mrs Wallace Coudge.

The Bethel Players will meet at the Community Room Monday, Dec. 15. There will be a Christmas tree and everyone is to bring a 25-cent gift.

Walton H Fears has returned to his home in Arlington, Mass., and is making good recovery after a several weeks stay at the Central Maine General Hospital.

Dr Gerald Kneeland attended the semi-annual post-graduate conference of the Maine Osteopathic Association at the Eastland Hotel, Portland, December 5 and 6.

Bethel Lions Club met Monday evening at the American Legion home with 22 members present. The speaker was Henry McGee, assistant director of the Sweetest Children's Home, Saco.

The Bethel Christmas Party for children has been postponed. The Christmas Party for Bethel will follow the meeting, Monday evening, Dec. 15. There will be a program and refreshments.

Miss Janice Lord has been named a member of the Leadership Conference Committee at the University of Maine as announced by the General Student Senate. Miss Lord is a first year student at the University.

The Ladies Club will meet Dec. 14 at the home of Mrs E A Van Den Kerkhofen. Co-hostesses are Mrs Elmer Bennett and Mrs Charles Merrill. This will be the Annual Christmas Party with Mrs John H Howe in charge of the program.

Word has been received that Pvt Ernest Dorey has received her diploma from the Clerical-Typist school at Fort Dix, N. J., and has been transferred to Camp Kilmer, N. J., where she is working in an office. Her address is Pvt. Ernestine Dorey, W.A.S. 15400, 1277 A. S. U. WAC Det. Camp Kilmer, N. J.

CORRECTION
In the recent report on the result of the Crescent Park School Fair, an unintentional error was made in the summary on the total. The final figures should have read:

Rec'd	Profit
\$11625	\$11625

The cost of the toaster was not taken out of receipts, but was handled in another way by the sponsoring organization.

G. A. ALUMNI TO HAVE CHRISTMAS DANCE

Last Friday evening the Gould Academy Alumni Executive Board met and made plans for the Christmas Dance. It is to be held Friday, Dec. 26, at the William Bingham Gymnasium. Committees appointed were:

Decorations: Loton Hutchinson, Murray Thurston, Mr and Mrs Dick Bryant, Edward Wheeler.

Publicity: Mrs Robert Keniston, Mrs Rufus Rice, Mrs Norris Brown.

Entertainment: Stan Davis.

Refreshments: Mrs Roland Kneeland, Mrs Jay Willard, Mrs Carroll Abbott.

Muscle will be furnished by Lord's Orchestra. The committee is hoping to make this such an informal and folksy affair that everyone can join in and have a good time.

Stan Davis, as master of ceremonies, is planning the entertainment.

Tickets will be on sale in advance from members of committees also at Bethel Spa.

OXFORD COUNTY WOMEN'S DIVISION ACCOMPLISHMENTS OUTSTANDING

"Oxford County Women's Division accomplishments for 1952 are outstanding," says Mrs Vera Emerson, new county chairman. "Under the guidance of Mrs Ethel Purkis, of Buckfield, retiring chairman, a homemakers' chorus of 23 members has been organized in cooperation with the Maine State Library, deposit library stations have been set up in Roxbury and North Newry. Two area health meetings were held in cooperation with the Maine Cancer Society with a total attendance of 125 women and 21 men working in cooperation with Civil Defense, 83 emergency feeding meals were served to over 14,000 people in Oxford County. A Know Your Neighbors' program, in which groups studied France, was conducted county-wide."

"We are continuing this program which was started so well this past year," continues Mrs Emerson. "Rural Reading, Health, homemakers' chorus, Emergency feeding, and Know Your Neighbors, in addition, we are adding the UNESCO coupon plan in which we are adding India UNESCO in which we are adding National Educational, Social and Cultural Organization and by the purchase of these coupons, which are a method of international exchange an effort is being made to buy trade sewing machines to be used in India. Oxford County groups, in addition, are planning to study India, its customs, and its people."

MIL AND MISS COMPASS TO HEAD BETHEL POLIO DRIVE

Soon the 1953 MARCH OF DIMES campaign will be underway in your town in Bethel. I understand that Mr and Mrs John Compass will again be at the wheel. I am certain that they will do another good job for the Polio Fund and that the people of Bethel will again contribute generously to this worthy organization. On its record of service the N F I P is deserving of your support.

As county director of the last MARCH OF DIMES campaign I wish to take this opportunity to thank you, the people of Bethel, for your interest and magnificent support of the 1952 MARCH OF DIMES. I especially extend my thanks to Mr and Mrs Compass for their leadership and effort.

In closing let me urge that you give the 1953 MARCH OF DIMES the same generous support which you have displayed in the past. The DIMES you give make possible the program of service to all victims of polio.

Clifford O Small, County Director 1952

CHRISTMAS GIFT TIME AT WEE FOLK SHOP

Sweaters Socks Mittens Toys Baby Clothes

BABY SITTERS

Name	Phone
Alberta Baker	53-21 35c hr
Juan Bennett	110 35c hr
Donna Anderson	14-3 35c hr
Marcia Theriault	119 35c hr
Pat. evenings and afternoons	
Carla Grover	191-2 35c hr
Judy Freeman	42-2 35c hr
Rachel Kneeland	94 25c hr
Sandra Myers	190-11 25c hr

If you would like to add your name to this list please leave your name and phone number at Hes-ayama's Pharmacy.

This will be a convenience to many families.

GOULD HONOR ROLL FOR SECOND MARKING PERIOD

Seniors: Honors—Barbara Brown 2, Waterford; Roberta Heath 2, Waterford; Beverly Lurvey 2, Locke Mills; Henrietta Swain 1, Bethel. Certificate—Ann Backus 1, Newport, Vt.; Erwin Bacon 2, Naples; Lucy Beckett 2, Hamilton, Ohio; Arlene Bennett 2, Bethel; Dean Bennett 2, Locke Mills; Charlotte Bidwell 2, Simsbury, Conn.; Mary Coolidge 2, Bethel; Barbara Dudley 1, Littleton, N. H.; Richard Emery 2, Bethel; Betty Gould 2, Kennebunk; Lillian Guernsey 2, Bethel; Susan Kneeland 2, Bethel; Judith Lamson 2, Northfield, Vt.; Frank Linnell 2, Peru; Eleanor Mason 1, Bethel; Marie Mills 2, Bethel; Betal Mumford 2, Staten Island, N. Y.; William Penner 2, Coahen, Conn.; Frances Russell, Windsor, Vt.; Beatrice Stevens 1, Bethel; Beth Swan 2, Locke Mills; Marcia Theriault 1, Hanover, N. H.; Gail Wallis 2, Belmont, Mass.

Juniors: Joan Conner 1, Bethel; Lionel Coulombe 2, Bethel; Frank Flint 2, Bethel; Mary Hewitt 1, Winterport; Paul Fossett 2, Bethel; Mary Ann Myers 2, Bethel; Richard Onofrio 2, Bethel; Valeria Stevens 1, Old Greenwich, Conn.; Gail Waldron 2, Poland. Certificate—Donna Anderson 1, Bethel; Nancy Carver 1, Bethel; Alan Chase 1, Limerick; Priscilla Eames 2, Newry; Marlene Marshall 2, Locke Mills; Carmen Pettapiece 1, Portland.

Sophomores: Honors—Patricia Allen 2, East Hebron; Mary Bennett 1, Bethel; Lee Carroll 1, Bethel; William Daley 2, Augusta; Negita Gordon, Bethel; Barbara Hulbert 1, Bethel; Shirley Mason 2, Bethel; Philip Rowe 2, Madbury, N. H.; Iva Rugg 2, East Stoneham; Jane Smith 1, Mason; Suzanne Stowell 1, Andover. Certificate—Barbara Jodrey 1, Bethel; Carter Taylor 1, Carlisle, Pa.; Diane Watson 2, Kezar Falls.

Freshmen: Honors—Carolyn Chadbourne 2, Bethel; Valer's Kelch 1, Reading, Mass.; Eleanor Merriam 2, Damariscotta; Sandra Myers 1, Bethel; David Willard 2, Bethel. Certificate—Rodman Barlow 1, East Boothbay; Joan Campbell 1, Errol, N. H.; Maurice Dorey 4, Bethel; Judith Freeman 2, Bethel; Ann Hastings 1, Bethel; Patricia Irving 2, Naples; Alice Ruffe 2, North Waterford; Margaret Rolfe 1, East Stoneham; Gary Smith 1, Bethel; Celia Waldron 1, Poland; Gloria Watson 1, Greenwood; Wesley Young 2, Ashburn.

Agri-cultural Trades Show coming to Lewiston. Maine's annual Agri-cultural Trades show is scheduled to be held at Lewiston Armory January 13 and 14, and 15, 1953. Displays of the latest farm machinery and equipment and meetings for dairymen, poultrymen, orchardists, and vegetable growers will be held. Maine dairymen get together on the first day of the Trade Show, Jan. 13.

A night and day of rain and mild promise some help in relieving the prolonged dry season.

POST OFFICE NOTES

I wish to thank the public for their cheerful cooperation during our change-over.

The parcel post window will be open on Saturday afternoons, Dec. 13 and 20, until 5 o'clock.

It would help expedite outgoing mail if you will please use the slot marked "Local" for Bethel mail. [This includes RFDs and Star Routes.]

Ida M. Packard, Postmaster

Police Urge Caution when Walking

"Shop with care—walk with care!" This advice was given to Maine shoppers today by Col Francis J. McCabe, Chief, Maine State Police. "Shoppers may not realize it," he continued, "but Christmas shopping is definitely a holiday traffic hazard."

He pointed out that careful shopping can result in a considerable saving of money.

"Careful walking," he added, "results in a more important saving—the saving of lives."

Chief McCabe suggested three rules for careful walking and shopping to observe.

1. Do not carry so many packages that they obscure your vision—either directly ahead of you, to the side, or your vision of the pavement.

2. Be certain that parcels are loaded securely. If you should drop a package, look carefully for traffic before you stoop to pick it up.

3. Avoid the tendency to hurry. Hurrying through crowded city streets is always dangerous, but trying with arms loaded with parcels can be suicidal.

LOCAL COW THIRD TIME PRODUCTION CHAMPION

For the third time Paul Thurston's Shaker Farm Diana is State Champion in production, having made 14,621 pounds of milk and 801 pounds butter fat in 305 days, three times milking as a six year old. At the end of this lactation she produced twin calves.

The M E C's met at the home of Elsie Poore Monday night. Thelma Poore, president, Violet Bennett, presided over a short business meeting. In the absence of the president, there was a Christmas tree and gifts were exchanged. Refreshments were served. The next meeting will be at Fera Jordan's, Monday night, Jan. 12.

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The Week in Oxford County

The Seventh Day Adventist Church on Weld Street in Dixfield was dedicated with appropriate ceremonies last Saturday. Elder L E Lehen gave the dedicatory sermon. The church was built in 1950 by volunteer labor.

Marcel Joseph Polero 10, son of Mr and Mrs Joseph Polero, Franklin St., Rumford, is a police patient at the Rumford Community Hospital. His condition was reported as good.

Walter Errington, West Peru, is a patient in a Portland Hospital. It is reported he will have his right leg amputated. Mr Errington was shot in the leg while hunting near Bethel four years ago, and has been hospitalized frequently since that time.

Miss Janet E Marston of South Waterford, a student at the University of Maine has recently been named honorary lieutenant colonel of the U. of M. R. O. T. C. The choice was made among six applicants at a military ball.

Justice Francis W. Sullivan ordered an Oxford County grand jury to report back on January 30. The

justice gave no reason for the summons.

Henry J Parent, Rumford businessman, has been named treasurer of the Rumford Bank and Trust Co. The appointment followed the resignation of Lewis M. Irish, an employee of the bank for 50 years.

William H Haynes, South Waterford, a University of Maine student, was awarded one of the eight scholarships from the Great Atlantic and Pacific Tea Company.

On Tuesday night the safe at A W Walker & Son farm machinery store, South Paris, was looted of \$400. Officials report several good leads for trailing the robbers.

The Stone Manufacturing Co. building on Weld St. in Dixfield was damaged by fire Wednesday. The building housed a newly business of which Frank Stone was head having leased the property from the owner, C J Langevin. No work was going on at this time. Fire officials estimated the damage at \$1000. Several different businesses had been located in the building during previous years.

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Interruption Electric Service

SUNDAY MORNING, DEC. 14, 1952

2:00 A. M. - 3:00 A. M.

There will be an interruption of electric service Sunday morning Dec. 14th, from 2:00 A. M. to 3:00 A. M. weather permitting, in the following communities:

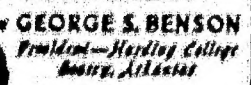
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WEST BETHEL

Mrs. Ruth Gilbert, Corres.—
Mr and Mrs Charles Hancock and Mrs Charles Byers attended State Grange meeting at Augusta last Wednesday.

Mrs Grace Allen, East Stoneham, is visiting with Mr and Mrs Allen Walker.

Mr and Mrs Shirley Gilbert and family were guests of Mr and Mrs Roger Thibault, Brunswick, Sunday.

Mr and Mrs Carroll Abbott were in Portland, Saturday.

Mr and Mrs Ralph Burris and Mr and Mrs Thomas Burris have gone to Deland, Fla., where Mr and Mrs Thomas Burris will remain for the winter.

The Ladies Chapel Aid met Wednesday, Dec. 10, at Mrs. Clara Rolfe's. A Christmas tree and pot luck dinner were enjoyed. The project of the meeting was to decorate Christmas boxes.

Herman Bennett and Harold F. Bennett, Bethel, attended Fish and Game Association meeting at Waterford, Monday night.

ALBANY-WATERFORD

Lillian L. Brown, Corres.—

Dana Lord and Charles Jellerson left Friday for Florida where they have employment for the winter. Raymond and Bertie Millett are cutting pine for Herbert Durant on his place at South Albany.

Mr and Mrs Walter Canwell, Mr and Mrs Harold Canwell, Don Brown, Roy Lord, Ernest and Fred Wentworth visited at Ernest Brown's Sunday.

Winifred McAllister plowed the Hunt's Corner road Friday night for the first time this season and reported about five inches of snow.

Mr and Mrs Elmer Henley and son, Jerry, former residents of this place left Harrison sometime ago for Florida and friends are glad to hear that Mr Henley is much improved in health.

Mr and Mrs Ernest Brown visited her aunts, Mrs Julia Chadbourne and Lilla Marr one afternoon last week. They plan to close their North Bridgton home soon and spend the winter at Iva Holden's.

Ernest Wentworth has a crew cutting timber on his Iliam French lot.

Prudent Bedard has conveyed a parcel of land with buildings situated in North Lovell to Ernest W. Wentworth.

ALBANY HUNTS CORNER—AND VICINITY

Mrs. Harlan Bumpus, Corres.—

The Rev Alvin Strong conducted the church service at Hunt's Corner Sunday morning.

The last Circle of the season was held last Thursday evening. Movies were shown after the supper.

The young people held a box supper at the Town House Friday evening.

Mrs Edith Stearns and Mrs Annie Bumpus attended the Extension Service Program Planning Training Class for Chairmen, Secretaries, and Project Leaders at Bethel Wednesday afternoon.

Mrs Edith Holt and daughters, Elsie and Sharon, called at Harlan Bumpus' Sunday afternoon.

Mr and Mrs Gus Plummer were Sunday callers of Mr and Mrs John Spinney.

Mrs Melba Hall is visiting her daughter and husband, Mr and Mrs Angus Cameron.

Miss Cora Bumpus, Mrs Richard Merriam and daughters, Margaret and Marilyn, of Auburn, spent Wednesday evening with Mr and Mrs Harlan Bumpus and family.

Mr and Mrs John Spinney were Sunday supper guests of Mrs Annie Nutting and family at Bethel.

Mr and Mrs Hugh Stearns were in Rumford Sunday.

BRYANT POND

D. of U. V. Notes

Judith Grover Tent No. 17, D. of U. V., met in regular session on Monday evening, Dec. 8th, with Pres. Helen Ring presiding. The charter was draped in memory of Sister Amanda Farrar. Beatrice Farnum received the mystery package. A Christmas package for the veterans at Togus is being made up and any member wishing to contribute is asked to leave articles with Bessie Andrews by Friday. A Christmas party is planned for the Dec. 22nd meeting and names were drawn for an exchange of gifts.

The following officers were elected for the ensuing year.

President, Helen Ring; S. V. Pres., Edith Hathaway; J. V. Pres., Bessie House; Chaplain, Mildred Dunham; Treasurer, Bessie Andrews; Council Member No. 1, Ruth Dunham, No. 2, Inez Whitman, No. 3, Alice Wardwell; Patriotic Instructor, Alice Farnum.

Refreshments were served after the meeting. At the Dec. 22nd meeting popcorn will be furnished by the refreshment committee and other members are requested to bring a small amount of candy.

SOUTH ALBANY

Mrs. Roy Wardwell, Corres.—

Mr and Mrs Arthur Wardwell and Jean and Jane were in Norway on Saturday.

Rev and Mrs Alvin Strong, daughter Ruth Ann, and Hazel De Merritt were guests of Mr and Mrs Roy Wardwell, Sunday evening.

Mrs Harry Chaplain from North Norway was delivering Christmas cards in this place Monday.

Mr and Mrs Arthur Andrews were guests of their daughter, Alice Wardwell and family, last week until Friday night.

Colds and stomach trouble are prevalent in this locality.

Henry Boyker from Bethel was a business visitor at Roy Wardwell's Friday of last week.

WEST PARIS

Genevra Tuell, Corres.—

First Universalist Church, Rev. Earle W. Dolphin, minister, Church School, 9:30. Worship Service at 10:30. Text "Prepare Ye the Way." Evening service of hymn singing. There will be Christmas services broadcast from the Church tower on Christmas week. The special business meeting of the church last Wednesday evening was pleasant and successful.

Mr and Mrs Edwin J. Mann, Miss Eleanor Coffin, Harold Porham, Margaret Porham, Rev. Earle W. Dolphin and Constance Dolphin attended an area meeting at Congress Square Church, Portland, Sunday afternoon and evening.

Mr and Mrs Harold Bonney were given a surprise 25th anniversary by their daughter, Miss Bryl Bonney and her sister, Mrs Leon Proctor. Sunday afternoon and evening.

A very happy occasion with flowers and program. Beautiful flowers, American Beauty Roses. The bride was presented a corsage and the groom was presented a boutonniere. A program consisted of original poem by Rev. Eleanor B. Forbes, poem by Mrs. Audrey Hadley and singing by a group of children, Donna Proctor, Carmen and Roger Hadley, Pauline Todd and Barry Millett.

The Eastern Star held guest officers' night Thursday night. Refreshment Committee: Helen Smith, Mrs. Ida Hadley, Mrs. Dorothy Ross.

Mr and Mrs Earle A. Palmer and children, Earle Edwin, Shariene and Carolee went to Milford, Mass. Sunday of last week to see his sister and husband, Mr and Mrs Robert Owen and the new baby, Cynthia Helen. They also called on Mr and Mrs Albert Hegy and daughter, Cynthia, and Mrs Hegy's daughter, Sharon Diane Mann, a niece of Mrs Palmer's.

SUNDAY RIVER

Mrs. R. M. Flier, Corres.—

Russell Yates was home over the week end from South Paris.

Bryce Yates is repairing his auto since the mine closed down at Andover last week.

Mrs Roger Reynolds is not working for Elizabeth Wright now.

Gene Thurlow went to Mechanic Falls last Sunday.

Mrs Lina Reynolds and children called on her mother, Mrs. Elizabeth Heino, a week ago Sunday.

Our last Sunday School meeting for the year will be Dec. 14 at 9:30. All come if you get your name on the Christmas Tree which will be at 7:30 on Dec. 21st at the school house. Hope you can have better weather than last year.

Polly Yates of South Paris has been visiting her grandparents, the E. G. Yates.

EAST BETHEL

Mrs. David S. Foster, Corres.—

Miss Mary Coolidge visited Pvt. Paul Bean at Fort Devens, Sunday.

Friends of little Geneva Kimball will be sorry to hear that she is seriously ill at the CMG Hospital in Lewiston.

James Playlock hurt his ankle badly at the Oxford Paper Co. mill, when a roll of paper rolled against it.

Mrs. Howe has left her daughter, Mrs. Rodney Howe's, and is at Charles Valentine's, at Bethel.

Mr and Mrs Warren Smith and sons, Charles and Ronnie, were dinner guests of Mr and Mrs David Foster, Sunday.

Miss Shirley Bartlett entertained a party of classmates on her eighteenth birthday, Dec. 5, with a buffet supper and games and dancing. Those present were the Misses Phyllis Chadbourne, Joan Ward, Lillian Guernsey, Marie Mills, Barbara Cole, Henrietta Swain, and Galley Brooks. Unable to be present were the Misses Beverly Lurvey and Carol Cummings.

Mrs Lillian Bartlett has been ill with the flu. She is slowly improving.

Mrs. Gerry Howe was given a Sunshine Box Sunday. She is reported a little better.

The Early Risers Boys 4-H Club had a meeting on "Repairing Broken Toys." Numerous toys were repaired and are to be given to a worthy organization to be distributed.

Alder River Grange held their regular meeting Dec. 5 with Dorothy Louise Coolidge in the chair. It was voted to give \$2 to Opportunity Farm for Christmas. It was also voted to continue square dances, and to invite Oxford Pomona to meet here on March 3. Committees appointed were: Square Dance—Richard and Hulda Stevens, Floribel Haines, Louise Coolidge, and Keith Bartlett. Pomona—Dinner: Mrs. Myra Foster, Mr and Mrs Cleve Bartlett. Resolutions of Respect: Mrs. Hulda Stevens, Mrs. Rose Bartlett and Mrs. Myra Foster. Lecturer's program was as follows: Roll Call—Quotable Quotes; Songs by Susie Ingersoll and Serena Coolidge. Announcement of winners in Community Service by Mrs. Floribel Haines; Travelwise Quiz by the Grange; Growing a Different Centrepiece, Mrs. Marguerite Bartlett.

The Snappy Eight, the Early Risers, and the Lucky Cover 4-H Clubs of East Bethel will hold their judging contests on Dec. 11.

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Resolved: That we extend our sympathy to the bereaved family.

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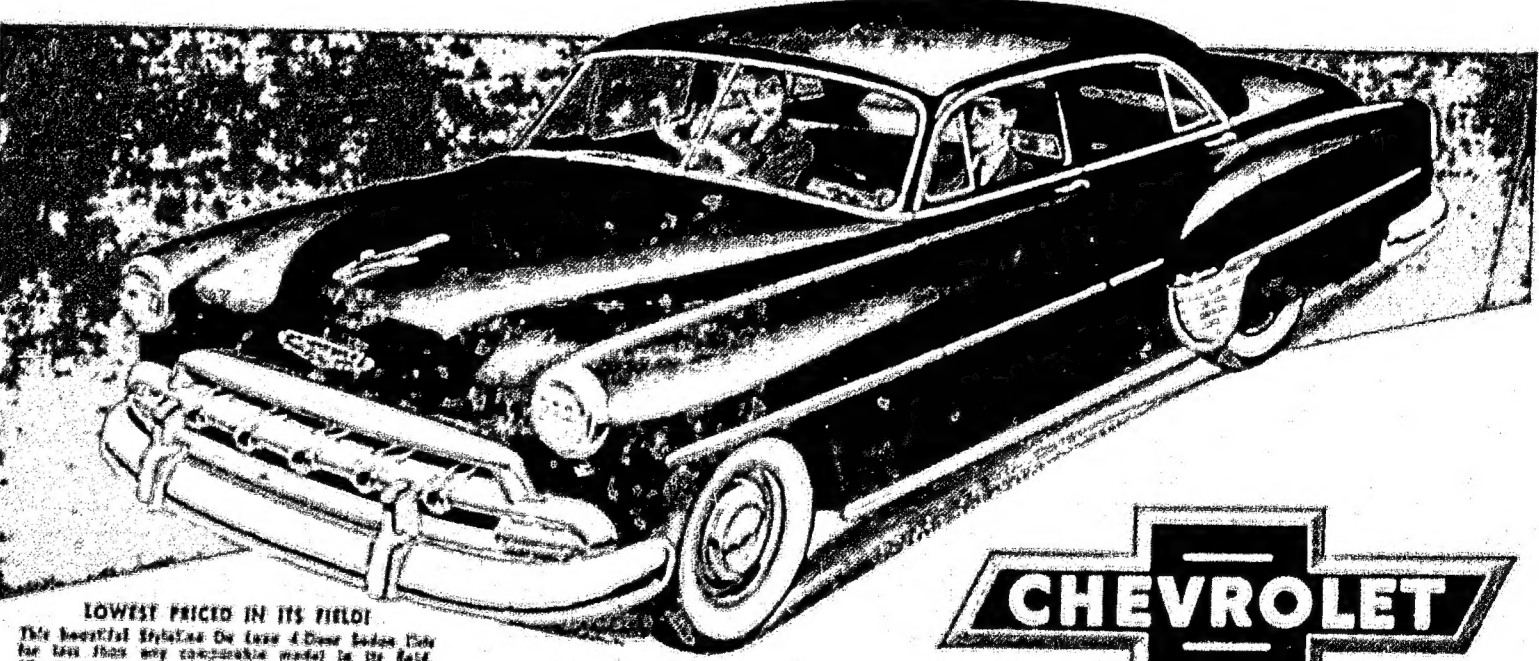


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NORMAN NESS RECEIVES NATIONAL RECOGNITION

Norman R. Ness, of Farmington, Franklin county agent for the Maine Extension Service, has received national recognition this month. He received the distinguished service certificate of the National Association of County Agricultural Agents at their annual meeting in Chicago last week. In addition, Ness and his family were pictured on the front cover of "Better Farming Methods" magazine for December. Mr. and Mrs. Ness and their son, Norman and daughter, Jean, were shown teaching church. The caption explained that "The family and the church is the strength of America."

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Brownies

The Second Grade Brownies met with eight members present. We made Christmas tree ornaments and helped fix our refreshments. The hostesses for next week are Loretta Rich and Beverly Gonyea. Troop II Brownies held their regular meeting Wednesday afternoon with Mrs. Dana Douglass Jr. and Mrs. George Parsons. We wrapped the gifts we brought to go in our "Christmas stocking." The "stocking" will be given some day to the children. Plans were then completed for our Brownie Christmas tree party which will be held Dec. 17. The refreshment committee includes Chris Baker, Lorenda Freeman, Janet Cragin and Mary Willard. Each Brownie is to make the gift she puts on the tree for her sister Brownie. So if you haven't got yours made better get busy, Brownies!

COLLIER'S TO FEATURE MAINE TOWN'S CHRISTMAS

Christmas in Maine will be featured nationally in next week's Collier's Magazine. The picture story, as announced by the Maine Publicity Bureau, will present intimate glimpses into the home of the people of Camden and their preparations for the holiday season.

Collier's feature, entitled, "Small Town Christmas" was written by Lew Dietz, author, newspaperman and resident of Camden, and the pictures used to illustrate the story, all in full color, were made by Kootz Ruhomaa of Rockland. The author describes Camden as a "sparkling-clean and prideful town." His warmly human story portrays graphically the Yuletide spirit which is best felt in the compact intimate life of a small community.

Ruhomaa's full-color photographs, depicting Camden's Christmas, are almost a story in themselves. Fourteen pictures including the Fire Chief repairing toys for children's presents, a Camden family gathering trees, Christmas Eve Services at St. Thomas Episcopal Church, children coming down to their tree Christmas morning and many others make the photo layout an excellent complement to Dietz' text.

The Collier's Christmas in Maine story will be released Friday and will be on newsstands over the nation for the entire week before Christmas emphasizing the State of Maine as "Christmasland."

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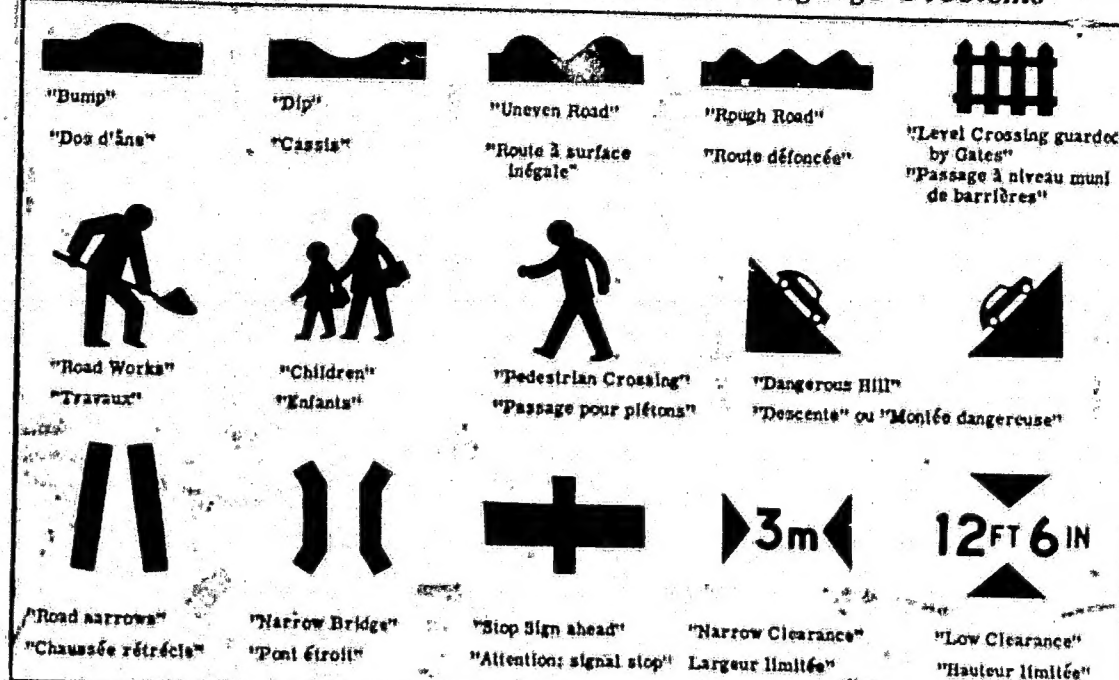
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Pine Tree State 4-H'ers Get High Honors

TIGH HONORS were accorded four Maine 4-H'ers for their top records in the 1952 National 4-H Dairy Achievement, Girls' Record, Health and Home Improvement programs. Each received an all-expense trip to the 81st National 4-H Club Congress, in Chicago. Highlights of their club careers are given below.

Of a practical bent Ralph Miller, 19, of Camden, turned his efforts to making the interior of his home more comfortable and attractive. Little did Ralph realize that good planning and painstaking efforts in the 4-H Home Improvement program would net such a fine award—state honors and a trip award from the Seaboard Foundation. Because his room was small, he tore down a partition to enlarge it, made an arch, refinished the floor, painted the woodwork, and constructed a closet. Then he turned his attention to the kitchen and its inconvenient pantries. He ripped out the shelves, replaced them with a sink cabinet and built a dishwasher. During the three years, Ralph has painted and painted seven of the nine rooms in his home.



Ida Clair, 16, of Buckport, received statewide recognition in the 4-H Health Improvement program and will attend 4-H Congress as guest of the Kellogg Co. of Battle Creek, Mich. With the help of her Club Leader, Mrs. Beatrice Eastman, she studied her individual problems, planned appropriate action, and then followed through. Ida actively participated in all club health programs. She helped make a first aid kit for her club, has sold stamps for crippled children and participated in skits emphasizing good health habits. Ida has given three excellent demonstrations stressing the use of milk in the daily diet. An all-around 4-H'er, Ida has been active in club, community and school events.

All these programs are conducted under the direction of the Cooperative Extension Service.

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David Luce, 17, of Farmington, has received recognition for excellent work in dairy production and management. As state winner in the Dairy Achievement program, he will be the guest of Lederle Laboratories. A 4-H'er for eight years, David learned the application of modern, scientific methods, and the importance of cleanliness and sanitation in the handling of dairy animals. One registered Jersey calf was the foundation for his present herd of eight animals. He has exhibited his calves at many fairs, and his awards include a bronze showmanship trophy, four trips to Springfield, and a place on the state judging team. This year he was selected as a delegate from Maine to attend National 4-H Camp in Washington, D. C.



Top in the Girls' Record program for Maine, Amy Haggood, 15, of South Paris, will compete with other top home makers at Chicago. As guest of Montgomery Ward, she will journey to Chicago with four parts of the country's finest talents, exciting experience, and a hard work, during seven years in 4-H. Amy's successful 4-H record has many honors and awards in sewing, canning and poultry management, also the 4-H fourth award. Out of 72 finalists she received 65 blue ribbons and seven red, and for all-around 4-H she was named the outstanding 4-H girl in the county. Amy has held all local club offices and served as assistant leader for the past three years.

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"I REMEMBER" BY THE OLD TIMERS

From Mrs. Ada Wilson, Warrington, Fla.: I remember quite a controversy when the "younger generation" wanted to buy a organ for the Methodist and Presbyterian churches. And as for a fiddle, dear me, no—it was the devil's instrument.

From Mrs. Addie De Long, Murfreesville, W. Va.: I remember when folks cut sour kraut with a straight blade. I've stood beside mother and watched as she would quarter the cabbage and throw in a barrel. Father and the boys would take turns chopping until the barrel was full.

From Mrs. Lillie Hamilton, Welchburg, Ky.: I remember when my folks made what was called an ash hopper with a trough under it. They filled it with wood ashes from an open fireplace and poured water on the ashes. Then I'd would run from the trough into jars. From this they made soap. There was a trough inside of the smoke house made from a log to hold the soap.

From Mrs. C. O. Nelswander, Sanford, Fla.: I remember when my mother would open for family use a jar, known as a glass can, that had been filled with fruit or vegetables the previous season. After washing and rinsing the jar, she would turn it upside down or the old picket fence to purify for the next year's canning. They made perfect targets for boys with slingshots.

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For best matching, try to pull ravelings from the material itself, such as the inside seams. Cross-wise darts will require cross threads while lengthwise ones will require the lengthier threads.

Imitate the weave of the material for the best match. If it's a tightly woven material, make your darn close together; if, loose, work loosely.

RECIPE OF THE WEEK

Banana Apricot Fluff

(Serves 6-8)

1 package orange-flavored gelatin

1 cup hot water

1/2 cup sugar

1/2 teaspoon salt

1/2 cup orange juice

2 cups thinly sliced bananas

(2-3 bananas)

1/2 cup pureed apricots

Dissolve gelatin in hot water

Add sugar, salt and orange juice. Chill until cold and stiff.

Combine bananas and pureed apricots. Add to gelatin mixture. Beat with a rotary beater or electric mixer until thick and fluffy like whipped cream. Chill.

Always darn from the right side of the material. This is necessary so you'll know how the darn will look, as it shows on the right side. Never make knots in the thread as this will make the material uneven. Leave half inch loose threads on the wrong side of the cloth.

An embroidery hoop used on the spot which you're darning will make the job easier as it tightens the material enough for you to make the stitches more easily. It also prevents puckering.

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Mrs. Elizabeth Ellen Vashaw

Born July 7, 1882. Died Dec. 4, 1952.
The subject of this sketch was the daughter of Thomas W. and Nellie Nolan Kennagh and had lived nearly all her seventy years in Bethel.

She had been twice married, her first husband was Pearly A. Flanders, who died Aug. 1, 1928. In August 1939 Mrs. Flanders was united in marriage to Thomas Vashaw, who died in January 1940.

Mrs. Vashaw, or Lizzie, as she was known so well by her many friends, and to all those her life meant service, and each and all whose daily life touched her's will miss a kind friend and neighbor.

For four years she was an efficient housekeeper in the Leon M. Longley family in Norway.

At his death she returned to her home in Skillington.

Some months ago she became ill and was in Rumford Hospital for a time, returning home she seemed to gain and hope was had that she would recover her usual health and strength—but gradually she failed from hardening of arteries.

The best of medical skill was her's and the devotion and care of an only daughter who was with her through many weary weeks until she passed into the sleep from which none wake to weep.

Mrs. Vashaw leaves one son, Albert Flanders of Norway, one daughter, Mrs. Dorothy Flanders Brink of Bethel, two brothers, John Kennagh of Bethel and Thomas Kennagh of Greenwood, eight grandchildren and several nieces and nephews.

Funeral services were held on December 6th at Greenleaf's funeral home. Rev. Father Fraser officiating. Interment was at Pine Grove Cemetery, West Bethel.

"By the hut of the peasant where poverty weeps

And nigh to the tower of the king

"Close, close to the cradle where infancy sleeps

And joy loves to linger and sing,

Lies a garden of light, full of Heaven's perfume,

Where never a tear drop is shed

And the rose and the lily are ever in bloom—

'Tis the land of the beautiful dead"

We miss the dear face at the window

That was wont to greet us of yore

And one clear voiced welcome is lacking

As we enter the open door,

But memories of her come thronging

And almost she is with us here

Just a veil seems to hide the loved features

A 1 the eyes that saw always so clear

All the work and good deeds that ever her mind planned so well;

And the hands so helpful and tender

"Can it be that they have wandered far?"

At at eve when the day's work is finished

As twilight comes quiet and grey

The still hush to light up the home nest,

Remember it was ever her way

To keep the glad home fires burning

With a welcome for every one

For there were never shadows

For always she looked toward the sun

Her life was so full of love's bright gleam

That all whom she knew felt its glow

For our hearts grow heavy with sadness

When God called her to onward go

Yet to her it was only a journey

That should end near the Great White Throne

Where she waits in God's beautiful country

To welcome her loved one's home

With the face on the silent City

Her smile is laid for aye.

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But the soul on pinions of swift-ness

To Heaven has hastened away.

And though often our feet may falter

While our hearts are heavy with pain

In Heaven where it's always "June time"

We shall find and greet her again

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SONGO POND

—Mrs. Ralph Kimball, Corres.—

On Dec. 3rd some neighbors and friends of Mrs. Carrie Logan, who formerly lived here, went to Lynchville and gave her a little surprise party honoring her 74th birthday.

She received several cards, some gifts and money. Two very pretty birthday cakes, coffee and ice cream were served. Those attending were Mrs. and Mrs. George Logan and three boys, Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Kimball, Mr. and Mrs. Erwin Hutchinson of Bethel, Mr. and Mrs. John Spiney, Clayton Penley and the honor guest, Mrs. Logan.

Mrs. Merle Stone and three daughters, of South Paris, visited her mother, Mrs. Leslie Kimball, Saturday afternoon.

Callers Sunday at Leslie Kimball's were Mr. and Mrs. Ralston Bennett and children of North Fryeburg, Mr. and Mrs. Aubrey Graves and boys, of Randolph, N. H., Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Kimball of Bryant Pond, Mr. and Mrs. Ray Jewell and children of Lynchville.

Mr. and Mrs. Herbert McKenzie of Candia, N. H., were dinner guests Sunday of Mr. and Mrs. George Logan and family. Mr. and Mrs. Harry Logan of Norway were also Sunday callers there.

—Mrs. Leon Enman, Corres.—

The Extension Group will hold a planning meeting, Dec. 17, 10:30 A. M. at Bertha Davis'. Dinner Committee: Bertha Davis, Mildred Gross and Selma Chapman. There will be a Christmas tree with exchange of gifts in the afternoon.

Henry Learned injured his foot quite badly by a log rolling on his ankle.

Mrs. George Learned and Leroy spent Wednesday evening with Mr. and Mrs. James Duran.

Earle Lane, who injured his foot at the Oxford mill some weeks ago is still unable to go back to work.

Patricia Learned spent Wednesday night with Helen Holt, Hanover.

Pfe and Mrs. George Olson arrived Thursday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. George Learned from So. Pines, North Carolina. They came by car with friends, Mr. and Mrs. Don Rogers, Springfield, Vt. Mr. Olson is home on furlough and will spend some time with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jorgen Olson, East Bethel.

Mr. and Mrs. Leroy Thurston and Karen were recent supper guests of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Learned.

Mr. and Mrs. George Olson were supper guests Monday of Mr. and Mrs. Leroy Thurston of Rumford.

The address of Richard Moore is as follows: Pfc Richard Moore 512705 Co B 278 Inf. Camp Drum N. Y.

SOUTH WOODSTOCK

—Velma Davis, Corres.—

Mr. and Mrs. Carlos Critzer have bought a house in Gray and will move there.

Those on the honor roll at Union School this week were: Hilda Andrews, Nettie Cox, Patsy Davis, Stephen Hill, Linda Waterhouse, Hazel Crocker, Jessie Prince, Peggy Chason, Eleanor Cox, Hershel Reed, Mona and Manda Whitman, Edna Andrews, Nancy Andrews, Orman Andrews, Suzann Andrews, Nadine Waterhouse, Geraldine Davis and Kathleen Wiggins.

Mrs. Joan Whitman of Bryant Pond spent the week end with Ethel Davis.

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